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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

[] Small entity status is hereby claimed.

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ÉTH	ERSC YLÈ	osed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>MARIE-MADELEINE CALS-DN</u> for <u>UTILISATION DE N-ARYLMÉTHYLÈNE</u> NEDIAMINETRIACÉTATES, N-ARYLMÉTHYLÈNEIMINODIACÉTATES OU N,N'-MÉTHYLÈNE ÉTHYLÈNEDIAMINEACÉTATES COMME DONNEURS DE NO.				
	[]	Applicant(s) hereby requests that the above-captioned application NOT BE PUBLISHED under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.				
	[]	Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure _ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent.				
	[X]	Applicant(s) requests that the published application include the following assignment information: L'ORÉAL S.A., 14, rue Royale, 75008 Paris, France.				
	Also	enclosed are:				
	[]	sheet(s) of drawings;				
	[X]	a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is [X] hereby made to FR 03/01211 filed in FRANCE on FEBRUARY 3, 2003;				
		[X] in the declaration;				
	[]	a certified copy of the priority document;				
	[]	a General Authorization for Petitions for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees;				
	[]	an Assignment document;				
	[]	an Information Disclosure Statement;				
	[]	a patent application data sheet; and				
	[]	Other:				
	[X]	An [] executed [X] unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s)				
		IX Lalso is enclosed [] will follow				

[X] The filing fee has been calculated as follows [] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

CLAIMS						
	No. Of CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE	
Basic Application Fee					\$770.00 (1001)	
Total Claims		MINUS 20 =		× \$18.00 (1202) =		
Independent Claims		MINUS 3 =		× \$86.00 (1201) =		
If multiple dependent cla	ims are pre	sented, add \$290.0	00 (1203)			
Total Application Fee					\$770.00	
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					-0-	
Add Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (8021) if Assignment document is enclosed					-0-	
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$770.00	

[]	This application is being filed without a filing fee.	Issuance of a Notice to File Missing
	Parts of Application is respectfully requested.	_

- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 770.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
- [] Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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